

JUN 02 2004

**Intellectual Property Law Group****Verizon Corporate Services Group Inc**

600 Hidden Ridge Drive
Irving, Texas 75038
MailCode HQE03H14
Phone: 972/718-4800
Fax: 972/718-3946
E mail:
christian.andersen@verizon.com

To: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office – From: Christian R. Andersen
Examiner: P. E. Ellsca Sr. Paralegal – Intellectual Property
Group Art Unit: 3621

Fax: 703-872-9306 Pages
with 17
Cover:

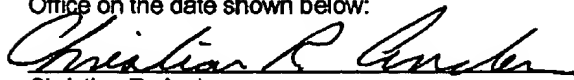
FORMAL SUBMISSION OF:

- 1) Amendment Transmittal;
- 2) Petition for One Month Extension of Time; and
- 3) Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111.

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PARTITIONED SERVICE-ENABLEMENT
GATEWAY WITH UTILITY AND CONSUMER SERVICES
Serial No. 09/870,143
Filing Date: May 30, 2001
First Named Inventor: Bruce S. CAMPBELL
Atty. No. 00-5018B

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that the above-referenced documents are facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below:


Christian R. Andersen

Date of Transmission: June 2, 2004

#1742 v1

OFFICIAL

Patent
Attorney's Docket No. 00-5018B

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER
JUN 02 2004

In re Application of: Bruce S. Campbell
Serial No.: 09/870,143
Filing Date: May 30, 2001
Examiner: Pierre E. Elisca
Group Art Unit: 3621
Title: *Method and System for Partitioned Service-Enablement
Gateway with Utility and Consumer Services*

AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
- ☐ A Terminal Disclaimer and a check for ☐ \$55.00 ☐ \$110.00 to cover the requisite Government fee are also enclosed.
- ☐ Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$385.00 ☐ \$770.00 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- ☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted _____, on _____, for which continued examination is requested.
- ☐ A request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.

Amendment/Reply Transmittal Letter
 Application Serial No. 09/870,143
 Attorney's Docket No. 00-5018B
 Page 2

- ☐ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☐ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	No. of Claims	Highest No. Of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims				x \$18.00 =	
Ind. Claims				x \$ 86.00 =	
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00					
Total Amendment Fee					
If Small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee					
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					

- ☐ A claim fee in the amount of \$_____ - is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account no. 07-2347.

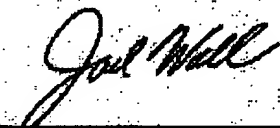
To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 07-2347 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Amendment/Reply Transmittal Letter
Application Serial No. 09/870,143
Attorney's Docket No. 00-5018B
Page 3

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other appropriate fees that may be required by this paper that are not accounted for above, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2347.

Respectfully submitted,

By: _____


Joel Wall
Reg. No. 25,648

Verizon Corporate Services Group Inc.
600 Hidden Ridge Drive
Mail Code: HQE03H14
Irving, Texas 75038
Customer Number: 32127

Date: June 2, 2004